

TRIAD WOODCARVERS NEWSLETTER



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The Triad Woodcarvers Newsletter is published monthly by the *Triad Woodcarvers Club* of Winston-Salem, NC
Based in Winston-Salem - Carving throughout the Piedmont Triad

COMMENTS FROM THE PRESIDENT

Stewart Hodges

The monthly business meeting will be held on Monday September 12, 2022 at 6:00 pm. Door prizes will be drawn at the close of the meeting. The club is looking for a new Membership and Public Relations chair – contact Stewart if you're interested in taking on this very important position!

BIRTHDAYS

BEST WISHES to the following members who will celebrate birthdays this month:

Rob Rachlin	September 1
Paul Holder	September 6
Lynne Patrick	September 20
Norval VanSickle	September 28

And Bob Godber!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

The Catawba Valley Woodcarvers 19th annual woodcarving competition and exhibition will be held on Saturday, October 21-22 from 9:00 to 4:00 at the Hickory Metro Center (1960 13th Avenue Drive SE). For further information see:

www.catawabavalleywoodcarversclub.webs.com

The Charlotte Woodcarvers has announced that the 2023 Showcase of Woodcarvings will be held on April 14-16, 2023. The Show Theme is "First Responders". The Triad Woodcarvers have been significant supporters and winners over the past two shows. We encourage all members to consider entering the 2023 Show.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Triad Woodcarvers will continue to offer free wood carving instruction to new members from 3:00 until 8:00 pm on Mondays at the Miller Park Recreation Center, 400 Leisure Lane, Winston-Salem, North Carolina. Carving tools, safety gloves and wood will be available for use. Come any time during the session and stay for as long as you wish.



SATURDAYS AT KLINGSPORS

Calling for volunteers to carve at Klingspors between 10:00 am and 2:00 pm on the second and fourth Saturdays of every month. Bring some of your carvings to display and something to carve. It would be great to have a couple of folks for each date. A big blue container next to the book sales area contains a black tablecloth, wood sign, brochures and a signup sheet. Please contact Bob Holtje at (336) 682-8638 or Bob@holtje.com to sign up for one of the open slots on the dates below:

September 10:

September 24:

October 8:

October 22:

November 12:

November 26:

As an added inducement to sign up, there will be a prize drawing for all Klingspor volunteers at our Christmas party.

The Triad Woodcarvers Club has successfully offered carving instruction for homeschoolers over the past three and a half years. We need one or two volunteers to help on Thursdays for the coming fall semester. You may feel that you're not qualified. **YOU ARE.** If you carve and you're in our club we need you. Stewart Hodges, Carol Adair and Will Crawford will continue to teach but we need at least one additional instructor so that no one person has to be there every week. Our plan is to rotate instructors throughout the semester. We envision three weeks on and three weeks off (approximately). The semester is 14 weeks long with 13 weeks of classes, running from September 1, 2022 to December 1, 2022. The class meets from 2-3 pm. Please join us in our mission to help create the next generation of carvers.

Email Will Crawford at wcpapawill@gmail.com to learn more and sign up!

FINANCIAL REPORT

July Ending Balance	\$5399.40
August Income:	
Heinecke Wood	\$14.75
Dues	\$40.00
Club sales	\$12.00
Total Income	\$66.75
August Expenses:	
Will Crawford (STEM)	\$80.91
Charles Griffin (STEM)	\$48.00
Total Expenses	\$128.91
August Ending Balance	\$5337.24

PROGRAM CARVING OPPORTUNITIES FOR MEMBERS:

Vice President Tony Leonardi is responsible for arranging in-house carving programs for the Club. Please contact Tony at leonardi@surry.net or (336) 923-8569 with your suggestions for future programs